

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA, NORTHERN DIVISION**

<b>JOHN DILLARD, et al.,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Plaintiffs,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>v.</b>	)	<b>CIVIL ACTION NO.</b>
	)	<b>2:87-CV-1303-MHT</b>
<b>TUSCALOOSA COUNTY BOARD</b>	)	
<b>OF EDUCATION,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	

**FINAL JUDGMENT**

By order entered February 28, 2007, (Doc. No. 3), the defendant Tuscaloosa County Board of Education was ordered to show cause, if any there be, in writing by April 25, 2007, as to why the joint motion to show cause (Doc. No. 2) should not be granted. No response has been filed by defendant.

There being no objection to the motion for final dismissal of this action, and Alabama Act No. 2006-252 having received preclearance, it is the ORDER, JUDGMENT, and DECREE of the court as follows:

- (1) Said motion to dismiss is GRANTED.
- (2) It is DECLARED as the judgment of this court that Alabama Act No. 2006-252 provides state legislative authority for the method of election and number of seats prescribed by the consent decree the court entered April 29, 1998, providing that the Tuscaloosa County Board of Education consist of seven members elected from single-member districts for staggered six-year terms.
- (3) The injunction contained in the prior judgment of the court to the extent it pertains to defendant Tuscaloosa County Board of Education is dissolved.

(4) All claims against the defendant Tuscaloosa County Board of Education in this action are dismissed.

The clerk of the court is DIRECTED to enter this document on the civil docket as a final judgment pursuant to Rule 58 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

DONE this \_\_\_ day of April, 2007.

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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**